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For: PRODUCTION, REFINING AND	)	
RECYCLING OF LIGHTWEIGHT AND	)	
REACTIVE METALS IN IONIC LIQUIDS	)	

**REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWER OF ATTORNEY,  
APPOINTMENT OF NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

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As a representative authorized to act on behalf of University of Alabama, I hereby revoke all Powers of Attorney previously given.

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